



# Positioning Your Agency for Success

WITH PROJECT PORTFOLIO MANAGEMENT

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## Morning Sessions

- **Welcome** (no slides used)  
*Karen Robinson, CIO, State of Texas and Executive Director, DIR*  
*Steve McCraw, Director, DPS*
- **Keynote Address: Enterprise Project Portfolio Management for the State**  
*Robert Handler, Research Vice President, Gartner*
- **Setting Up an Enterprise Project Model**  
*Amanda Arriaga, Assistant Director of Administration, DPS*  
*Diana Taylor, Director, Program and Portfolio Management Office, DIR*
- **Enterprise Resource Planning for Project Portfolio Management** (presentation requested)  
*David LaChance, Project Manager, Innovation and Technology Project Management Office, CPA*

## Afternoon Session – Business Track

- **Project Selection/Choosing Your Investments**  
*Jessica Iselt, Deputy Assistant Director of Policy and Planning, DPS*  
*Wendy Mazzurana, Senior Project Manager, Program and Portfolio Management Office, DIR*
- **Tips and Tools for Effective Business Project Delivery**  
*Jessica Iselt, Deputy Assistant Director of Policy and Planning, DPS*  
*Wendy Mazzurana, Senior Project Manager, Program and Portfolio Management Office, DIR*
- **Change Management Panel Discussion**  
*Amanda Arriaga, Assistant Director of Administration, DPS*  
*Jessica Iselt, Deputy Assistant Director of Policy and Planning, DPS*  
*Diana Taylor, Director, Program and Portfolio Management Office, DIR*

## Afternoon Session – IT Track

- **Leveraging the Texas Project Delivery Framework and the Quality Assurance Team as Resources for Successful Project Completion**  
*Richard Corbell, Senior Analyst, LBB*  
*Ralph McClendon, Information Technology Audit Manager, SAO*  
*PJ Vilanilam, Lead, Statewide Project Delivery Program (Framework), DIR*
- **Quality Assurance Team Panel Discussion** (no slides used)  
*Richard Corbell, Senior Analyst, LBB*  
*Ralph McClendon, Information Technology Audit Manager, SAO*

*PJ Vilanilam, Lead, Statewide Project Delivery Program (Framework), DIR*

- **Improving the Efficiency of IT Project Deliveries by Partnering with an Enterprise Project Portfolio Management Office** (presentation requested)

*Diana Sawyers, Deputy CIO of Projects and Security, TJJD*